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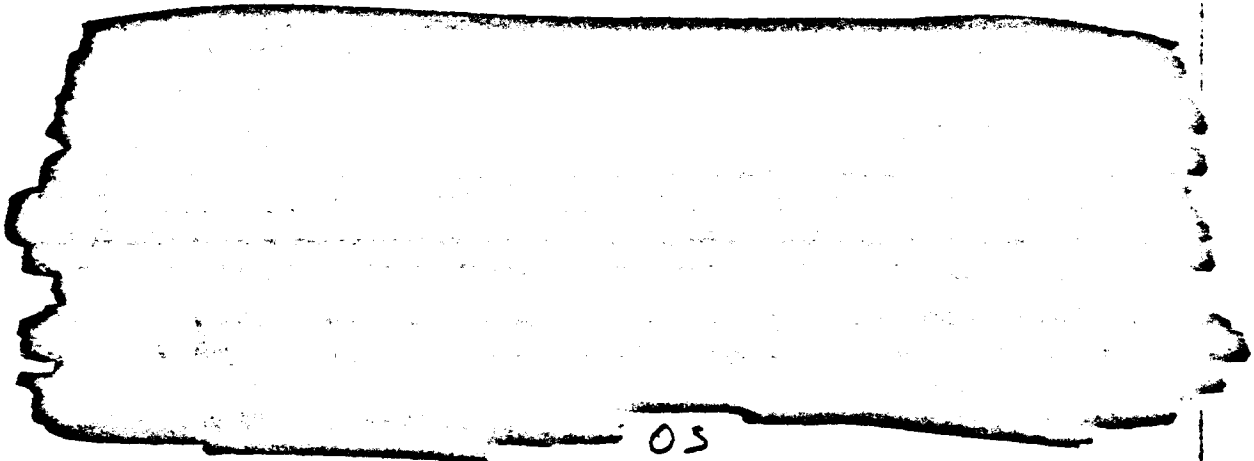
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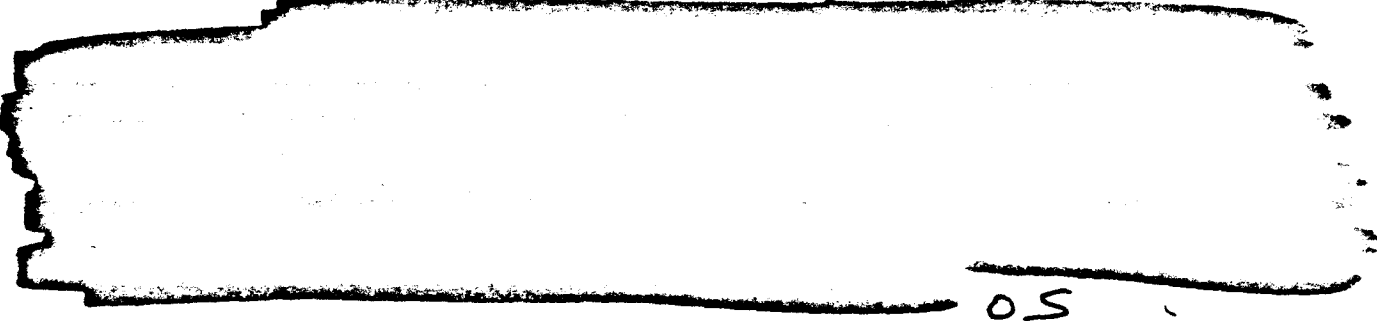
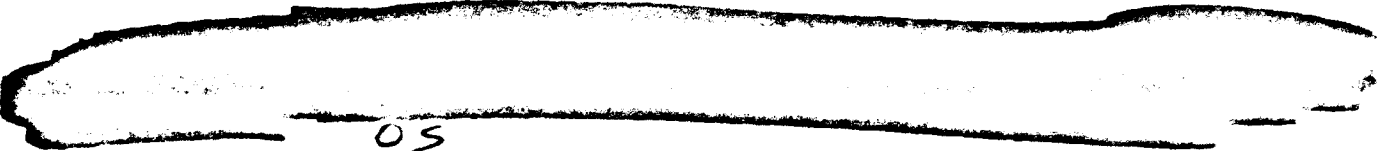
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Also among subject's possession was an address book which
cont ined the following names:

ISAAC ABDELSON
1808 Noeder Circle
N. E. Atlanta

ANNA BERENSON
Emerson 0052
Republic 0916

ROBERT AINSWORTH
2512 Hawthorth
S.W. off Y.U. 1964
Prospect 6723

ED & MARY BARNES
15 Macanday Lane
Prospect 9329

Dr. D. E. ABELSON
Office Bly 8100
Ashberry 0104

EUGENE BLACK
Jewish Survey Comm.
Ent. 0535

THOMAS ABLE
2160 Pacific St.
Hilvers 2573

BOB PHILLY
Greenwood 34164

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FRANK BRANT
11825 Hling St.
L.A.

ED PARLO
DO. 3F45 Office

ALICE OWEN 108 Kau Way
Aca 42 T.H.

CHARLES & HELEN BRANT
329 E 50 L.A. 3
Adams 0853

S. F. CHRONICLE
G. A. 2112

BH 100-5075

GEO. CHRISTOPHER
H. I. 2121 Wm 3727

California Hotel

CHAS. W. TOWN SR.
Rm 547 P.O. Bldg.
Bldg 70125 34032

LETT GREENWOOD
Berkeley 04304

Council for Civic Unity
Rm 5477

C.I.O. Bldg C.R.G. 3586

LETT CRAIG
915 Hamilton St.
S.F.

Plum Discussion Group
Knights M. Taylor Council
2121 E Ave. No. 31802

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263 Atkins Ave.
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WALTER CRAY
4151 Adams

JOHN GRACE
8 - Her and Alley
S.F. 11 Thronewall 6622

ROBERT S. GORDON
3427 Cliff Rd.
Bham. 71560

DR. ASHER GORDON
4164 - 23rd St.
S.F. At 1575

T. & B. GOLDMANN
1901 Florida
Apt 20 Richmond

MRS. SARAH WILES
410 Avila
W.A. 1-7806

GUS BOWMAN
2825 - 39th St. S.O.
c/o W. L. LAYLOR

LARRY HENWOOD
c/o JOHN THOMSON
DC. 6776
Stos. 1135

ALEX HANCOCK
310 St. Michael St.
1516 Chamberlain

SM. MERVIN
State Q.M. V.F.W.
U.N. 4014

T.I.T.U. 604 Montgomery
D. C. 1563

RON JEWETT
Albany Inn 55109

FRANK JARROS
111-115 Clay St.
Berkeley 22

KORNIEN
114 E. 32 St.
N.Y.

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DR. COLMAN KLINGHOFFER
490 Post
S.F.

FRA KESSEY
Ext. 6888 Office

GEORGE MIDWELL
17 Fresno St.
Ex. 1602 Gar 4595

ALTON LAWRENCE
Bessner 579-R

D & R. LIEFER
1246 Pierce
Fitzmore 1907

DR. MILTON LEVINE
Sweetwood 5400

OVER HILLS
West. 10398

SCOTT L. MARTIN
Trin Oaks 2187

BEN MOLTY
1010 President St.
Main. 28613

NATHAN MEYER
2606 Ave. J.
Brooklyn N.Y.

N. MEYER
1979 E. 31 St.
Brooklyn

SEA MILLNER
1100 Fulton
S.F.

RAY BERKOWITZ
740 - 6 Ave.
S. Diego

Dr. H. McDONALD
1st N.E. Flag
Mobile

RUD BEYERS

BEN MOORE
S.F. 1555

LEONARD ICHIMIN ✓
164 Jordan S.F.

PAUL FINSKY
1242 Pierce St.

LONG - FOSI
2622 Filbert St.

JACK FATTON

J. ROSENBERG
10 Monroe St.
Apt. G.E. 11

S.F.P.H.A.
135 Stockton
MRS. U. L. STEEVES
S.F.P.H.A.
JOHN BEARD

PAUL SCHNUR
1832 - 25 St.
S.F. 7

ETLY BEYNTON
89 - Green

FRANK ROSE
214 - 29th
S. Mateo

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Ashtery 6918

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O. Thornhill 2822

JOSEPH DENNER
Superior 81587

JOE DEMARCO
Office 83381 - 76646

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S.F. 14
Off. Ga. 8384

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828 - Guerrero
S.F. 10 N.A. 2520

BERT DESESE
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MRS. DOROTHY ERSKINE
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Layton, Chic

GEO. C. ETTERTON
Ashberry 7703

NORMA FAGERLINCH
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Laura FREEMAN
2154 Virginia N.E.
Atlanta, Ga.

MILTON FISHER
215 N. Thomas
Arlington, Va.
2841

DAVE FISHER
3906 Runnes
Alhambra
Cuna 3-1848

ROBIS FOLETON
1055 Wall: jr
Irc. 9911

SIMFORD COLLIER
5251 S. Avalon

GLADSTEIN
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San sitito

DR. MORT GARFIELD
Su. 2670 GR. 5930

ELINOR GEMARD
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Prospect 4711
Ext 454

JOE STEIN
498 Lowell Ave
1111 Valley
1916 W

FR 100-807

DOUGLAS SCHENTEN

111 STUY VILLE
1246 Van Ness
L. A. 83

LEO SCHNEIDER
L. A. 8. 0177

CHARLES J. STEINGART
222 E. 15 St.
L.A.

HAROLD SWANER
230 Bush Office
1830 Gaugh Home

SIE SINGH
2515 Regent
Berkeley 4

WILLIAM SILVER
1513 - Jones

PAUL SCHIFF

MERILE TULLY
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Mobile

MORGAN TABB

LOIS TUEHLER
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HENRY TOM SU. 9171

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L. O. 67033

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W.A.

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ESTHER WILKIE
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GEO. WILSON

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 THIS REPORT ORIGINATED AT

SAN FRANCISCO

FILE NO. 100-53305

REF: [REDACTED]	DATE WHEN MADE: 1/21/51	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE: 1/17/51 - 1/21/51	REPORT MADE BY: FRANK J. CONNOR
TITLE: CARO, ANTONIO G. CONTIGARI, wa.		CHARACTER OF CASE: ESPIONAGE - R	

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: [REDACTED] OS

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DETAILS:

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CONNECTION WITH JULIUS ROSENBERG:

On March 22, 1951 JULIUS ROSENBERG, who was subsequently convicted as a Soviet Espionage agent, testified during the course of his trial in New York City that HARRY and SYLVIA STEINGART had loaned him two tables when they moved to California. He stated that one of these was a maple leaf table and the other was a gate leg table. He testified that later the ROSENBERGS sent the maple leaf table to the STEINGARTS in California and the gate leg table was finally sold by the ROSENBERGS for \$5.00. ROSENBERG testified that the STEINGARTS had given him this furniture when they moved to California in 1942.

ROSENBERG also testified that this furniture was placed in his apartment by the STEINGARTS in order to save storage charges for them and that the agreement was that it would remain there until the STEINGARTS requested that specific articles of the furniture be sent to them.

March 24, 1950 SA THOMAS E. FRANKI contacted subject at the home of Mrs. Virginia M. Rosenberg, California. At the time of the interview the subject's attorney was present and therefore an appointment was made to interview subject at the office of his attorney, JACK TENNER of the firm Major and Tenner, 1211 North Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, at 2 P.M. on that date.

At 2 P.M. the writer and SA THOMAS E. FRANKI interviewed subject in the presence of attorneys JACK TENNER and PAUL MAJER.

STEINGART advised that he met ELLIUS ROSENBERG in New York City in 1939 or 1940, reportedly at a meeting of the Federation of Scientists, Engineers, Chemists and Technicians Union. Apparently he saw ROSENBERG at union meetings and in addition, ROSENBERG and his wife made social calls to STEINGART's residence in New York City.

Subject said he left New York City around 1941 and went to Washington, D.C., Illinois, and finally to San Francisco, California. He advised he visited his wife in New York City around 1943 at which time she was attending Hunter College. There he believed he saw ELLIUS ROSENBERG on this occasion which was the last time he saw ROSENBERG, to the best of his knowledge.

Subject advised that about 1945 he wrote ROSENBERG and stated that he desired ROSENBERG to forward to him certain furniture which subject had stored in New York City at the time of his departure. In return for forwarding this furniture, subject stated he permitted ROSENBERG to retain certain pieces. Subject recalls specifically requesting ROSENBERG to forward a bed, chest of drawers and probably a maple table. Subject stated that he had also received an iron stove with this shipment. Subject said that the maple table and the other furniture had been purchased by him probably around 1936 and definitely before the time he knew ROSENBERG. Subject could not recall where he had stored his furniture in New York City at the time of his departure.

Subject denied knowing MORRIS SOBELL who was convicted as a Soviet Espionage agent with the ROSENBERGS.

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On advice of his attorney, subject declined to furnish information regarding any issues in this case. FBI's office is advised that the subject was given an opportunity to view national statutes and that they did not desire to permit their client to answer questions concerning possible compliance with the law. They had no further opportunities to discuss this matter with their client.

On April 27, 1951, THOMAS H. BENT contacted attorney JACK BENTON. At that time BENTON advised that neither subject nor his wife would answer any additional questions unless they were served with a subpoena.

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REPORT MADE AT SAN FRANCISCO	DATE WHEN MADE JUL 7 0 1951	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 4/17; 5/4; 6/14-20/51	REPORT MADE BY RALPH M. LINDSEY JR
TITLE HARRY ARTHUR STEINGART, with aliases: Harry Green, Harry Steingart			CHARACTER OF CASE ESPIONAGE - R

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

INVESTIGATIVE SUMMARY

formerly associated with JULIUS ROSENBERG, convicted Soviet espionage agent. Reported to be Soviet espionage agent. Presently resides and is employed Los Angeles.

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DETAILS

Background

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On March 24, 1952, HARRY A. STEINGART was interviewed by Special Agents THOMAS E. BRYANT and FRANCIS D. COOLEY in the presence of attorneys JACK TENNER and PAUL MAJOR at Los Angeles. During this interview the subject stated that he met JULIUS ROSENBERG in New York City in 1939 or 1940, probably at a meeting of the Federation of Architects, Engineers, Chemists, and Technicians (hereafter referred to as the FAECT union). Thereafter, the subject stated, he saw ROSENBERG at union meetings. JULIUS ROSENBERG and the FAECT will be referred to elsewhere in this report.

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San Francisco T-23, of known reliability, advised that the name "J. ROSENBERG, 10 Monroe Street, A.P.T., G.E. 11," appeared in an address book belonging to HARRY STEINGART. The informant was unable to furnish any information regarding the extent of STEINGART's association with ROSENBERG.

ADMINISTRATIVE

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THE NEW YORK DIVISION

At Long Island City, New York:

Will attempt to verify subject's former employment with Brewster Aeronautical Corporation, Long Island City, and will determine the nature of the work performed by the subject at this corporation.

Will determine if in his position the subject had access to any confidential information which he may have made available to JULIUS ROSENBERG.

ADMINISTRATIVE

San Francisco T-20:

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San Francisco T-21:

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San Francisco T-22:

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San Francisco T-23:

BETTY JOYCE B. ALOCK, 811 Essex Road,
Birmingham, Alabama, as reflected in report
of SA JAMES PUGH dated 8/17/48 at
Birmingham.

San Francisco T-24:

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REFERENCE

San Francisco letter to Bureau dated 5/12/51.

2/23/52

Director, FBI (100-382951)
SAC, San Francisco (100-25137)

REGISTERED MAIL

Sylvia Steinbart, was.
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Reesp SA RALPH M. LINDSEY dated Jan. 4, 1952 at San Francisco.

A review of instant file in the San Francisco office reflects that subject, according to informants, is a member of and has been active in the Communist Party. Prior to March, 1951, this case bore the character "Security Matter - C."

On March 27, 1951, DAVID GREENGLASS, an admitted former Soviet Agent, advised that in 1945 or 1946, JULIUS ROSENBERG, convicted as a Soviet espionage agent, told him that the friends on the West Coast to whom he had shipped furniture were engaged in Soviet espionage and were going to China.

On March 22, 1951, JULIUS ROSENBERG testified during the course of his trial in New York City, that HARRY and SYLVIA STEINBART had loaned him two tables when they moved to California.

DAVID GREENGLASS was subsequently shown photographs and interviewed concerning the STEINBARTS. GREENGLASS advised that he had never seen or met the STEINBARTS or heard their name mentioned.

Confidential Informant [redacted] of unknown reliability and who will not testify under any circumstances, advised agents of the New York Office on April 5, 1951, that JULIUS ROSENBERG, ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, convicted of conspiracy to obstruct justice; and EMANUEL BLOCH, Attorney for ROSENBERG, were planning to publish a counter-propaganda news letter to be entitled, "RETORT", which would be distributed in a clandestine manner throughout the country by individuals carefully selected by ROSENBERG, et al. The informant stated that the distributors of this publication would be members of the National Board, and among these individuals he named SYLVIA STEINBART of Los Angeles, California.

It is to be noted that this same informant subsequently reported that the plans had been altered and that the magazine "RETORT" would not be published.

On March 24, 1951, HARRY A. STEINBART, husband of the subject, was interviewed by agents of the Los Angeles Office. This interview took place in the presence of STEINBART's attorneys, who, after STEINBART had admitted knowing JULIUS ROSENBERG in New York, declined to permit their client to answer further questions.

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cc - New York (100-53305) (Reg. Mail)
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To: Director, FBI
Re: SYLVIA STEINART, was.
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2/29/52

On March 27, 1951, SA THOMAS E. BRIANT of the Los Angeles Office was advised by HARRY STEINART's attorney, JACK TESSER, that neither HARRY STEINART nor SYLVIA STEINART would answer any additional questions unless they were served with a subpoena. U

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It is to be noted that the statement as made by GREENGLASS concerning ROSENBERG's mentioning that the friends on the West Coast to whom he had shipped furniture were engaged in espionage is specific and probably refers to the STEINARTS, however, it is not felt that it contains information sufficient or concrete enough to question the STEINARTS. Further, investigation to date has developed no corroboration of this information, nor has there been from any evidence of current espionage activity on the part of SYLVIA STEINART. U

From the foregoing it would appear that the only person in a position to furnish direct evidence of Soviet espionage on the part of the subject is JULIUS ROSENBERG. U

In view of the above a closing summary report is being prepared for this case; that the case be followed through reports of confidential informants established sources, being subject to reopening upon the receipt of operating evidence or information received from ROSENBERG. U

The San Francisco Office will submit a closing summary report on or before March 25, 1952. U

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT **NEW YORK**

FILE NO.

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REPORT MADE AT NEW YORK	DATE WHEN MADE 6/9/53	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 5/6-8, 11, 12, 14, 18, 19, 21, 22, 25/53	REPORT MADE BY JCEM G. WILLIS
TITLE LEONID ROMANOVICH KVASSNICOV, was; Leonid Kvasnikov, L. R. Kvasnikov, Leonid Romanovich Kvasnikov		CHARACTER OF CASE INTERNAL SECURITY - R	

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS

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ALLEGATIONS OF ESPIONAGE ACTIVITIES

Confidential Informant T-34, of unknown reliability but whose information of a similar nature set out hereafter has proven to be true in most cases, stated that a number of alleged Soviet agents were operating in the United States. The informant described VASSILI ZUBILIN as Assistant Secretary of the Embassy of the USSR and as the Chief of the Soviet Secret Police in the United States. The informant continued that KVASNIKOV, who worked as an engineer at Amtorg, appeared to be an assistant of ZUBILIN in technical information service. The informant stated that through SEMENOV (SEMEN MARKOVICH SEMENOV), who worked at Amtorg, he robs all of the war industries of America and has his agents in all industrial cities of the United States, in all war factories, in aviation and chemistry, and in all large institutions.

The informant also said that SCHEVCHENKO (ANDREI IVANOVICH SCHEVCHENKO), Representative of the Purchasing Commission, Buffalo, was engaged in the same things as SEMENOV.

Relative to the authenticity of the above information, it should be noted that HARRY GOLD, self-admitted Soviet agent, advised that SEMEN MARKOVICH SEMENOV of Amtorg Trading Corporation (whom GOLD knew only as "SAM") was GOLD's Soviet superior who made the necessary arrangements for GOLD to meet KLAUS FUCHS, the atomic scientist, for purposes of obtaining information on atomic energy from FUCHS.

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TITLE LEONID ROMANOVICH KVASSNICOV, was.		CHARACTER OF CASE INTERNAL SECURITY - R	

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Informants contacted; have no information concerning KVASSNICOV. Investigation at 1331 Madison Ave., NYC, KVASSNICOV'S last NYC address, set out. Mrs. ESTELLE ROTHENBERG, former Amtorg employee, does not recall KVASSNICOV.

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DETAILS:

The following individuals and informants were shown a photograph of LEONID ROMANOVICH KVASSNICOV, with negative results:

HARRY GOLD and DAVID GREENGLASS, self-confessed former Soviet espionage agents. GOLD was contacted by SA JOSEPH C. WALSH and GREENGLASS was contacted by SA JOHN W. LEWIS.

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T-6, of unknown reliability, advised in April, 1951 that ALEXANDER SUDBIN was a close friend of SEMEN SEMENOV. He stated that although SUDBIN worked very closely with SEMENOV at Amtorg, he had his own separate office. He recalled that SUDBIN was in the technical materials engineering department and later had considerable to do with ammunition. T-6 also recalled that SUDBIN and SEMENOV spent considerable time in each other's homes and frequently conversed at the offices of the Amtorg Trading Corporation behind closed doors. SEMEN SEMENOV was identified by HARRY GOLD as one of his Soviet espionage superiors.

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T-6	Dr. JACK M. ROWE, 36 Central Park South, NYC; former physician for Amtorg	7/13/51	WALTER C. ROETTING	65-15436-19
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JULIUS and ETHEL ROSENBERG were found guilty on March 29, 1951 in the New York Federal District Court of conspiracy to commit Espionage and sentenced to death on April 5, 1951. They were executed on June 19, 1953.

MORTON SOBELL was convicted in the United States District Court, the Southern District of New York on March 29, 1951 of conspiracy to commit Espionage on behalf of the Soviet Union and he was sentenced to a term of 30 years in the Penitentiary.

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III. INTERVIEW WITH SUBJECT

On November 15, 1954 the subject was contacted at his residence in Cotati, California by Special Agents RICHARD E. STEPHENS and MERLE R. ADAMS, at which time he advised that he had no knowledge of Communist Party activities and he stated, "I have nothing to say."

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At San Francisco, California:

Will consider closing case upon receipt of the investigation set forth for the New York Office in the report of SA WILLIAM H. CARPENTER, dated 12/7/54 at Boston.

REFERENCE: SF let to Director, 9/29/54.
Report of SA RICHARD E. STEPHENS, 6/16/54, at SF.